

## National Weather Service Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



August 2000 Time Local/ Path Length Path Number of Estimated Persons Width Damage **HAWAII Kauai County** Lihue 03 0 0 Wild/Forest Fire A small, four-acre brush fire was contained, controlled, and then extinguished after five hours. Firefighters worked to quickly stop the blaze as it threatened Kauai High School on the southeast side of Lihue **Honolulu County** 1315HST 1000HST 1 Wild/Forest Fire 1 S Wahiawa A brush fire burned about 100 acres near Wheeler Army Airfield in central Oahu over a three-day period. Initially, winds fanned the flames toward townhomes at the Pinnacle in Mililani. However, the winds shifted and sent the blaze down a deep ravine toward the Ewa Plain, well away from residential areas. One firefighter was injured, though not severely, when he fell into a ravine near the brush fire. No other injuries or serious property damage were reported. HIZ001>003-005>008 Niihau - Kauai Windward - Kauai Leeward - Oahu South Shore - Waianae Coast - Oahu North Shore - Oahu Koolau **High Surf** Storm low east of New Zealand in the previous week produced surf of 6 to 8 feet along the south shores of all the Hawaiian Islands Hawaii County 16 WNW Hilo 0040HST 0 Wild/Forest Fire 0 A brush fire blackened 200 acres of pasture land on the Puu Oo Ranch on the slopes of Mauna Kea in the South Hilo district. No serious injuries or property damage were reported. **Maui County** Hana to 20 **Urban/Sml Stream Fld** Heavy rain and showers over the windward- and south-facing slopes of Mt. Haleakala in East Maui caused minor flooding of streams and ponding of roadways. However, no serious property damage or injuries were reported. **Maui County** Kalaupapa to 20 0515HST Urban/Sml Stream Fld Maunaloa Heavy rainfall produced some flooding of small streams and ponding on roadways on the island of Molokai, with the heaviest precipitation affecting northern coastal areas. There were no reports of serious injuries or property damage HIZ004 Kauai Mountains 20 Heavy downpours caused small stream and street flooding in the South Hilo district on the island of Hawaii. No serious property damage or injuries were reported, however. HIZ001>003-005>008 Niihau - Kauai Windward - Kauai Leeward - Oahu South Shore - Waianae Coast - Oahu North Shore - Oahu Koolau 1200HST **High Surf** 

Storm low southeast of New Zealand in the previous week generated surf of 6 to 8 feet along the south shores of all the islands

0800HST



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		Time Path		Path	Number of		Estimated			August 2000	
		Local/	Length	Width	Pers	Persons		mage			
Location	Date	Standard	(Miles)	(Yards)	Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	Character of Storm		

## **HAWAII**

**Honolulu County** 

Kailua to 20 1555HST 0 0 Urban/Sml Stream Fld Waipahu 1900HST

Heavy rain and thundershowers produced street and small stream flooding in eastern and central Oahu. Lightning and wind gusts to near 40 mph caused some power outages and tree limbs to fall on electrical lines and roadways. Eight townhouses in a Waikele subdivision were extensively damaged by flooding. No estimates of the damage were available, but it was likely that repairs to the homes would cost tens of thousands of dollars.

HIZ007 Oahu North Shore

20 1615HST 0 0 Flood 1800HST

Heavy rain and thundershowers caused minor stream flooding and ponding of roadways in the North and South Kona districts on the island of Hawaii. However, no serious injuries or property damage were reported.